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**PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME UNDER 37 CFR 1.136(a)  
FY 2006**

(Fees Pursuant to the Consolidated Appropriations, Act, 2005 (H.R. 4818).).

Docket Number. GUID-036

Application Number: 10/748,733

Filed 12/30/2003

For: Transabdominal Surgery System

Art Unit 3732

Examiner: Kilkenny, Patrick J.

This is a request under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a) to extend the period for filing a reply in the above identified application.

The requested extension and fee are follows (check time period desired and enter the appropriate fee below):

Fee                    Small Entity Fee

<input type="checkbox"/>	One month (37 CFR 1.17(a)(1))	\$120	\$60	\$ _____
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	Two months (37 CFR 1.17(a)(2))	\$450	\$225	\$ 450 _____
<input type="checkbox"/>	Three months (37 CFR 1.17(a)(3))	\$1020	\$510	\$ _____
<input type="checkbox"/>	Four months (37 CFR 1.17(a)(4))	\$1590	\$795	\$ _____
<input type="checkbox"/>	Five months (37 CFR 1.17(a)(5))	\$2160	\$1080	\$ _____

Applicant claims small entity status. See 37 CFR 1.27.

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Check in the amount of the fee is enclosed.

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The Director has already been authorized to change fees in this application to a Deposit Account.

The Director is hereby authorized to charge any fees which may be required, or credit any overpayment, to  
Deposit Account Number. I has enclosed a duplicate copy of this sheet.

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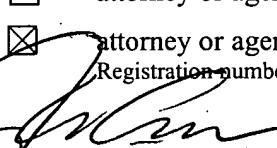
Assignee of record of the entire interest. See 37 CFR 3.71  
Statement under 37 C.F.R. § 3.73(b) is enclosed.(Form PTO/SB/96).

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Total of 1 Forms are submitted.

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